

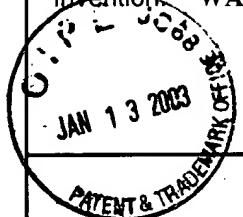
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BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES & PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

Docket No.
2909 #11703

In Re Application Of: George A. Burnett, et al

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art/Unit
09/667,981	September 22, 2000	Huang, Shong	2632

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated September 5, 2002 finally rejecting Claim(s) 1-13

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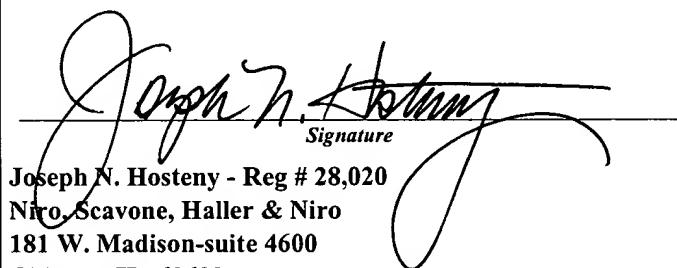
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This combined Notice of Appeal from the Primary Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is respectfully submitted by the undersigned:


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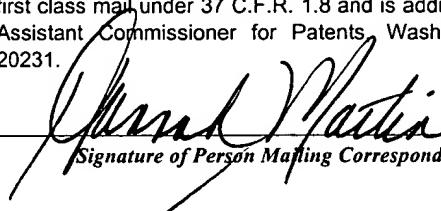
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